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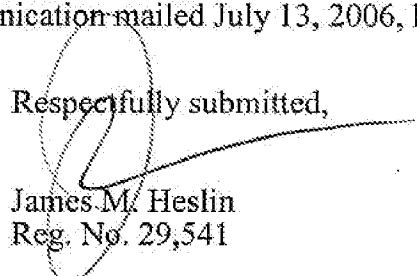
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Sir:

In response to the Communication mailed July 13, 2006, Applicants wish to point out that formal drawings were submitted on May 24, 2006. Review of PAIR shows that the drawings were received and entered on May 26, 2006.

Thus, Applicants believe that the formal drawing requirement set in the allowance mailed on May 3, 2006, and restated in the Communication mailed July 13, 2006, has been met.

Respectfully submitted,


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